

IN THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): D. A. Balluff

Confirmation No.: 4747

Application No.: 10/016,313

Examiner: Theriault, Steven

Filing Date: 10/30/2001

Group Art Unit: 2179

Title: EFFICIENT MESSAGE NOTIFICATION SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMMUNICATION SYSTEMS

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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- (X) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
(X) No additional fee
() Other: (fee \$)

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TOTAL CLAIMS	14	MINUS	20	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	4	MINUS	4	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$120.00	2ND MONTH \$450.00	3RD MONTH \$1020.00	4TH MONTH \$1590.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

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For: EFFICIENT MESSAGE	:	
NOTIFICATION SYSTEM ...	:	

AMENDMENT A

Commissioner of Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 11, 2005, please amend the above-identified Application as follows and consider the accompanying remarks: